

Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-3 (canceled).

Claim 4 (previously presented): A telephone terminal device comprising:

a temporary storage memory for temporarily storing an inputted telephone number;

a plurality of telephone directories including a plurality of user selectable directories for storing user selected phone numbers, each of the telephone directories associated with at least one telephone directory memory for storing input telephone numbers;

wherein a telephone number stored in the temporary storage memory is registered in one of said at least one telephone directory memory associated with one of said user selectable directories selected from the plurality of telephone directories after making a call;

a transmitted telephone number record directory memory for storing a plurality of called telephone numbers; and

a buffer directory memory whose data are erased automatically after passage of a predetermined time;

wherein telephone numbers are registered in the transmitted telephone number record directory memory in the

order of calling, and in the case where the number of the telephone numbers to be registered exceeds the number capable of being stored in the transmitted telephone number record directory memory, the telephone number of the oldest registered telephone number or a telephone number specified by the user is transferred from the transmitted telephone number record directory memory to the buffer directory memory.

Claims 5 (previously presented): A telephone terminal device as claimed in claim 4, further comprising an interface means for connection with an external memory device external to said terminal device.

Claim 6 (previously presented): A telephone terminal device as claimed in claim 5, wherein at least one of said at least one telephone directory memory comprises the external memory device connected with a telephone terminal device main body via the interface means.

Claim 7 (currently amended): A telephone terminal device as claimed in claim ~~any of claims 4, or 10,~~ wherein said at least one telephone directory memory includes a plurality of telephone directory memories, and wherein the telephone directory memory for registering the telephone number stored in the temporary storage memory after a call is selected manually from one of the plurality of the

telephone directory memories associated with the user selectable directories.

Claims 8-11 (canceled).

Claim 12 (currently amended): The telephone terminal device as claimed in ~~any of claims 1, claim 4 or 10,~~ wherein one of the plurality of telephone directories is chosen in advance by a user for automatically storing the telephone number stored in the temporary storage memory after making or receiving a call.

Claim 13 (previously presented): A telephone terminal device comprising:

- a temporary storage memory for temporarily storing an inputted telephone number;

- a plurality of telephone directories including a plurality of user selectable directories for storing user selected phone numbers, each of the telephone directories associated with at least one telephone directory memory for storing input telephone numbers; wherein

- one of the plurality of telephone directories is chosen in advance by a user for automatically storing the telephone number stored in the temporary storage memory after making or receiving a call.

Claim 14 (previously presented): The telephone terminal device of claim 13, wherein said at least one telephone directory memory is an external memory.

Claim 15 (canceled).

Claim 16 (new): The terminal device of claim 13, further comprising an interface means for connecting to an external memory device external to said terminal device for storing telephone numbers accessible by said terminal device.

Claim 17 (new): The terminal device of claim 13, wherein name and information related to the telephone number registered are added thereto.

Claim 18 (new): The terminal device of claim 13, wherein data of at least one of the telephone directories are erased automatically after passage of a predetermined time.